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PATENT APPLICATION OF )  
Roger Weiss et al. )  
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SERIAL NO.: 10/710,975 ) Group Art Unit: 3764  
F )  
ILED: August 16, 2004 ) Examiner: Donnelly  
FOR: FREE STANDING BALLET BAR )  
EXERCISE DEVICE )

Commissioner for Patents  
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SECOND RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for granting an interview on May 19, 2009 to discuss the status of this application. Applicant has carefully considered the Examiner's remarks during that interview, as well as the Examiner's written remarks in the Final Office Action dated Sep. 19, 2008 and in the Advisory Action dated Jan. 29, 2009. Applicant requests reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.